Plan A capacity of 3276 MW has been added till 30th June, 2003. This comprises of 2541 MW thermal and 735 MW hydro.

(e) to (g) The Tenth Plan target for capacity addition in the State Sector has been set as 11157 MW. Out of this, projects totaling 1418 MW have already been commissioned and projects totaling 5076.69 MW are under execution. Remaining projects are under award/ investment decision In the Power Ministers' Conference, various States committed to place awards and start work on all the remaining power projects within 2003-04 to ensure completion of these projects by the end of 10th Plan

(h) The Centre is rendering assistance to states in obtaining earlier clearances/inputs and resolving major bottlenecks. Power Finance Corporation (PFC) and Rural Electrification Corporation (REC) have mobilized themselves to see that execution of a good project is not hampered due to lack of funds.

Surplus power in Orissa

369. MS. PRAMILA BOHIDAR:
SHRI B.J. PANDA:

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Orissa has decided to sell the surplus power to other States for which GRIDCO has invited tenders; and

(b) the amount of power that is proposed to be sold and the amount of money they proposed to net out of this?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA) (a) Government of Orissa have informed that Orissa decided to sell surplus power to other States for which tenders were invited by Grid Corporation of Orissa (GRIDCO).

(b) According to Government of Orissa an agreement was signed by GRIDCO with PTC for sale of 100 Megawatt round the clock The contract sale price of surplus power agreed is Rs. 2.00/Kwh during off-peak period, Rs. 2.60/Kwh during peak-period which averages to Rs. 2 15/Kwh round-the-clock. Allowing a rebate of 2 5 paise per

rupee for payment through Letter of Credit (LC), against a sale price of Rs. 2.096/Unit for sale of 100 Megawatt of power corresponds to a revenue realization of Rs. 15.0912 crores per month.

Funding of Hydropower projects in Orissa

370. SHRI B.J. PANDA:
MS. PRAMILA BOHIDAR:

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Orissa has given a proposal to the Centre for funding of two 520-MG hydropower projects at Chipilima and Tikarpara of NHPC on account of paucity of funds; if so, the status of the proposal; and

(b) whether the State Government has also made a request to the PM to provide power to each house-hold in the State by 2012; if so, the action plan thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA): (a) Government of Orissa is planning to promote Chipilima-B (200 MW) and Sindol complex (Sindol-I, II & III 320 MW) on river Mahanadi under Central Sector NHPC is in the process of considering the terms and conditions of implementation of the project in consultation with the Government of Orissa.

(b) The Ministry of Power, Government of India have issued necessary guidelines to electrify all the households in the State by 2012 under Prime Minister's Gramodaya Yojana (PMGY). According to the guidelines, the Government of Orissa has constituted the State level and District level monitoring committees to adhere to the dateline.

Assistance to Rajasthan under APDRP

371 SHRIMATI AMBIKA SONI:
SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA:

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that State Government of Rajasthan has